

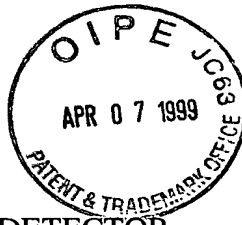
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Attached is a Form PTO-1449 listing the enclosed documents.

Petition is hereby made under Rule 97(d) for consideration of the following Information Disclosure Statement for which the requisite petition fee under Rule 17(i)(1) is enclosed herewith. If any fee is deemed to be missing or deficient, please charge the deficiency to our Deposit Account No. 03-3975 under Order No. 30954/235648.

I hereby certify that none of the enclosed documents listed on the Form PTO-1449 was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or, to my knowledge after making reasonable inquiry, was known to an individual designated in Rule 56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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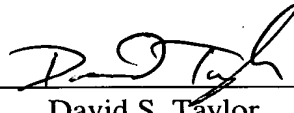
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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the prompt return of a copy of the herewith Form PTO-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MEP 609 are earnestly solicited.

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